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REPORT FROM "KHOCHEV" ON GERMAN-FINNISH RELATIONS.

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[74 groups unrecovered]

Chamber of Commerce [B] from Finland to STOCKHOLM is not at present urgent. In the German Legation, on the basis of information received from HELSINKI and BERLIN, [C] there is [B] great optimism as regards Finland. At present Finland is still [B] very far [B] from concluding a treaty] with the USSR, intends to continue the war and to develop and strengthen her war effort. The German Legation in STOCKHOLM is pleased with MANNERHEIM¹ and the new [B] premier]. To check this information KHOCHEV ~~had~~ had a chat² with ~~the representative of the DRESDEN BANK~~ KN

~~in the German Legation. [75 groups unrecovered]
prevents their transfer to the Germans. [A group of the Red Army on its march from
finished, the Germans are counting on beginning active operations
against the USSR.~~

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[141 groups unrecovered]
~~begin to conclude peace with the USSR. [A U] count on [L U], if they
do not bring and if, being in need.
[L U]
[L U]~~

Distribution Finland. The Germans [do not believe] [34 groups] after total [8
massive preparations]

Comments: [1] MANNERHEIM: Finland's last
MANNERHEIM became
prime minister of FINLAND in 1944
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